

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Atsushi MAE)	Group Art Unit: 2621
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Application No.: 10/590,708)	Examiner: Nguyen, Huy Thanh
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Filed: August 25, 2006)	Confirmation No.: 4506
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For: IMAGE PLAYBACK APPARATUS)	
AND METHOD, AND PROGRAM)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed on October 6, 2009, the period for response extending through January 6, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks follow the claim amendment sections of this paper.